

INVITATION TO BID

Notice is hereby given that Traverse City Area Public Schools is requesting proposals regarding the installation of a complete perimeter security program including access control, CCTV, ID badging, guest pass and digital video recording and retrieval at the Old Mission Elementary School.

Bidding documents may be picked up beginning Monday, March 20, 2006 at 9:00 AM at the TCAPS Maintenance Department, 1212 Cass Road, Traverse City.

There will be a mandatory pre-bid meeting on Wednesday, March 22, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. for firms interested in submitting proposals. The meeting will be held at TCAPS Maintenance Department Offices at 1212 Cass Road, Traverse City.

Bids will be received until 2:00 PM, local time, Thursday, April 6, 2006 at the receptionist desk at the Maintenance Department Office, 1212 Cass Road, Traverse City, MI. Bids will be publicly opened at that time and any bids received after the specified date and time will not be considered.

The School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive irregularities, and to accept the bid that in their opinion is in the best interest of the school district.

Bids shall be accompanied by a sworn and notarized statement disclosing any familial relationship that exists between the owner or any employee of the bidder and any TCAPS administration.

Richard H. Crampton, Secretary of the Board of Education, Traverse City Area Public Schools.